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LINCOLN HALL, at 2.30 p. m. PROF. PRATT'S TENT, corner Pa. av. and 13th at at 7.30 p. m.

50,000 MAGNOLIAS. I have on hand \$0.000 MAGNOLIA GRAND FLORIA for this Spring from one foot to ten feet high. Price \$1 per foot.

Twelve years experience proves to me that April is the best time for planting Magnolia. I sent trees before only by single order, but I lost several. For this reason I will not send anything at all without having the money on hand Any person willing to give me an order please send the money or no answer will be made.

J. M. BORHOT, mb6-lm

Norfolk, Va., Box 316.

EVENING STAR.

Washington News and Gossip.

INTERNAL REVENUE .- The receipts from this ource to-day were \$319,221.

THE EXPENSES of the government during the month of March were \$13,287,821.23. THE SUBSCRIPTIONS to the new loan on Saturday amounted to \$1,415,650, making the total subscriptions to this date, with the subscriptions of to-day, (\$892,450,) a sum total of \$50,-

IT IS PROBABLE that Miss Isabella Glyn, the most distinguished Shakespearian woman of England, will give a reading of "Cleopatra" in Washington soon. This is considered her finest personification.

FINANCIAL PROGRAMME OF THE GOVERN-MENT FOR APRIL.-Secretary Boutwell has directed the Assistant Treasurer at New York to sell during the present month two millions of gold on each Wednesday; purchase three mill-ions of bends on the first and third Thursdays, and two millions on the second and fourth

gomery Sicard has been ordered to command the receiving ship Vandalia at Portsmouth. N. H. Lieutenant Commander Joshua Bishop has been ordered to the Pacific fleet. Lieutenant Wm. H. Emory has been detached from the Naval Observatory and ordered to the store NOMINATIONS .- The President sent the fo

NAVAL ORDERS To-DAY .- Commander Mont-

lowing nominations to the Senate to-day: Addison H. Laffin, naval officer, New York city; Wm. A. Darling, appraiser of merchandise, New York city; Lockwood L. Doty, pension agent, New York city; Wm. G. Smith, surveyor of customs, Memphis, Tenn.

Postmasters.—Thes. Blodgett, Cooperstown, N. Y.; Jos. H. Speed, Marion, Ala.

THE CONTESTED NORTH CAROLINA SENATOR SHIP .- The Senate Committee on Elections and Privileges this morning had the case of Ex-Senator Abbott, of North Carolina, under Senator Abbott, of North Carolina, under discussion, but came to no conclusion thereon. The Committee will meet again on Friday, when both Mr. Abbott and Mr Vance may be present with counsel. Hon. Caleb Cushing will represent the former. As stated in the STAR of Salvaday. Saturday, Mr. Abbott claims the seat on the ground that Vance being ineligible and he (Abbott) having received the next highest number of votes in the Legislature is entitled to the

EX-SENATOR JACOB M. HOWARD died at hi home in Detroit, Michigan, yesterday morning at seven o'clock of apoplexy. Mr. Howard was born in Shattsbury, Vermont, on the 10th of July, 1805, and graduated from Williams College in 1830. In 1832 he removed to Michigan. In 1833 he was a member of the Legislature of that State, and from 1841 to 1843 was a member of the House of Representatives. In 1854 he was elected Attorney General of the State, and served in that capacity until 1862, when he was elected U. S. Senator to succeed Hon. Bingham deceased. His term expired in 1865 when he was re-elected and served until the end of last Congress, when he was succeeded by Hon. T. W. Ferry.

OUR NAVY .- The new Navy Register for the year 1871 has just been issued from the Navy Department, having been compiled with much care by Dr. W. S. McNairy, in the Register's office of the Department. It contains the names of the admiral and vice admiral, 12 rear admirals, 25 commodores, 50 captains, 89 commanders, 178 lieutenant commanders, 141 lieuten ants, 151 masters, 69 ensigns, 69 midshipmen, 80 surgeons, 32 passed assistant surgeons, 38 assistant surgeons, 80 paymasters, 32 passed as sistant paymasters, 29 assistant paymasters, 30 chief engineers, 98 first assistant engineers, second assistant assistant engineers, 23 chap-lains, 9 professors of mathematics, 6 naval constructors, 7 assistant naval constructors and civil engineers. There are 306 warrant officers. of whom 46 are boatswains, 57 gunners, 39 car penters, 34 sailmakers, and 130 mates.

The retired and reserved list comprises 2 rear admirals, 52 commodores, 25 cap ains, 14 commanders, 6 lieutenant commanders, 2 lieuenants, 6 masters, 2 ensigns, 2 chief engineers first assistant engineers, 10 second assistan engineers, 22 surgeons, 2 passed assistant sur geons, 3 assistant surgeons, 13 paymasters, passed assistant paymaster, 1 assistant paymas ters, 4 gunners, 8 boatswains, 3 sailmakers and 3 professors of mathematics.

The Marine Corps is commanded by 102 of ficers, exclusive of 9 on the retired list. Sixty three mayal officers of various grades have resigned during the year, 47 have died and 10 were dismissed. The volunteer navy has 13 officers now in active service. Of this branch 11 were mustered out during the past year, 8 were hon-orably discharged, 18 resigned, 1 deserted and 1 died.

There are five fleets, and some of these are divided in two squadrons, the whole employ-ing 40 vessels, as follows: North Atlantic, 10; South Atlantic, 3; European, 8; Pacific, 12; and Asiatic, 7. There are 4 vessels on special ser vice, one preparing for the South Atlantic fleet, and 3 are on the Darien surveying expedition The entire navy consists of 99 wooden vessels. 51 iron clads, and 29 tugs, most of which are laid up at the various navy yards.

The Fox Hunt at Saitlands.

Sir Stafford Northcote Wins the Brush. The rainy weather on Saturday last did not deter the members of the Joint High Commission and other distinguished gentlemen from attending the fox hunt at Suitlands, Prince George county, Md., to which they were invited by Mr. S. T. Suit, the hospitable owner of that fine country place. The party of invited guests left this city about noon. General Schenck took Earl de Gray and Mr. Montague in his took Earl de Gray and Mr. Montague in his carriage. Lord Goderich, of the Commission; Mr. D. Cremer, of the English Legation; Judge Hoar, Governor Stanton, ex-Senator Williams and lady, Judge Miller and lady, and others also went down in carriages; while Sir Stafford Northcote, of the Commission; Sir Edward Thornton, the British Minister; Mr. Northcote, son of Sir Stafford; and Messrs. Howard and Le Poer Trench, of the British Legation, braved the elements by going down on horseback. They were thoroughly soaked by the driving rain before they arrived at Suitland, but the party were soon reconciled to their fate, as they found comfortable apartments and lunch awaiting them. There was a plentiful supply of substantials and delicacies, with the finest wines of all nations to wash it down. After the party hadrested, the huntcommenced under the direction of Mr. Taylor. Governor under the direction of Mr. Taylor. Governor Stanton mounted a horse and joined the hunters, about thirty in number, and the ladies witers, about thirty in number, and the ladies witnessed the start from the observatory on top of the mansion. The first fox was soon run down. Fortunately there were not many fences to jump. Sir Stafford got one fall, but was recompensed by winning the brush, which he subsequently presented to Mr. Williams. The hunt continued with a fresh pack of hounds until 5 o'clock, when the party returned to the house. clock, when the party returned to the house and sat down to an elegant dinner. There were twenty at table, and toasts were drank to the President, the Queen, the British and American people, &c , in foreign and domestic wines, and the festivities were kept up until about 8 p. m., when the party returned to this city well pleased with their days enjoyment, and warmly praising the hospitality of their entertaines. A fine band was at the house, and discoursed some excellent music during the day.

New Orleans has another grievance. The journals of that city protest against receiving any more legacies from well-intentioned but rather cracked-brained old millionaries. John McDonough's large bequest, they say, wa absorbed by the lawyers, the greater portion of that left by John D. Fink was stolen by some body; and lastly, that continual bone of conten tion and litigation, the Girod bequest o \$100,000, has dwindled to \$30,000. A bill ordered to a third reading in the New

York Assembly, proposes to offer a reward of \$50,000 to the ingenious inventor who shall devise an improved method of canal navigation The bill provides that the plan shall be made practicable by the employment of steam or any other motive power, and the reward is to be given after the permanent utility of the invention shall be established to the satisfaction of a competent commission. They call hotels "hasheries" in Kansas.

william Call, of Dresden. Me., who was in his 95th year, hanged himself a few days ago.

FORTY-SECOND CONGRESS. This Afternoon's Proceedings.

MONDAY, April 3. SENATE .- Mr. Frelinghuysen presented memorial of numerous shipowners and merchants, asking erection of light house at Berwick Bay on Jersey coast.

The following bills were introduced by unanimous consent and referred: By Mr. Rice: To incorporate the Red River Ratt Company.

Also, to fix the terms of the U. S. courts for the district of Arkansas. By Mr. Pool: To create the western judicial district of North Carolina. By Mr. Wilson: To prohibit the retention of soldiers discharges by claim agents and attor-

neys.

By Mr. Cole: Authorizing lease of Presidio re ervation to the city of San Francisco for a Mr. Stewart offered resolution calling on the Secretary of the Interior to state under what laws individuals and corporations are holding closed to settlement large bodies of the

Mr. Stewart, in the course of remarks on his resolution said, out of 491,000,000 acres of pub-lic lands given away, only 96,000,000 had gone into the hands of actual settlers; the rest had passed into possession of wealthy private indi-viduals and corporations. He urged that here-after only small tracts of land, suitable for farms, be given away.

A bill was passed to convey the Dahlonega mint building to trustees of the South Georgia agricultural college.

Mr. Blair then took the floor on Mr. Sherman's resolution.

Mr. Blair said that the radical gong of outrages in the South had been sounded for the purpose of distracting the attention of the people from the issues of revenue reform and reduction of taxes, which threatened to disrupt the party. The only offence of the people of the South was that they were throwing off the carpet-bag system of government, which was the disgrace of the age. In the course of his remarks he said an address issued in the Presidential canvass of 1868 by Senator Pool and Judge Reed advised the negroes of North Carolina to burn the barns of people who refused to employ them on account of their politics.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES .- The House assembled at 11 a. m., having on Satur-

day night taken a recess till that hour. Mr. Roosevelt (N. Y.) was recognized by the Speaker, and addressed the House in opposition to the bill. He said that an impression seemed to prevail on the other side, and it had been currently reported by the greater portion of the republican papers that the democratic party was hostile to the negro, and he suggested that the bill might as well be called a bill to promote i rotherly affection between the democracy and the colored race. Was it not, he asked, the democracy that went to Africa, and, sharing all the horrors of the middle passage, brought him to this country to bestow upon him the benefits of American civilization and make him acof American civilization and make him acquainted with the dignities of labor?

Mr. Kinsella (N. Y.) followed in opposition to the bill, which, he said, it was attempted to support by the stories of kuklux outrages contorted, distorted and manufactured for the oc-

unwarranted, and the effect of its passage would be to everthrow the liberties of the people. At 11:45 a. m. the House adjourned to 12 o'clock on Monday. MONDAY'S SESSION. After an interval of five minutes, the House was called to order, and opened in the usual On motion of Mr. Dawes, the usual Monday morning hour was dispensed with, in order that debate might continue upon the pending bill. After a discussion, almost in the form of a colloquy, an arrangement was made that the debate should continue through to-day and to-morrow, with an evening session each day, and meeting at 11 o'clock to-morrow, and that on Wedneyday the Horse chellenger. Wednesday the House shall proceed to consider the bill as in Committee of the Whole, under

casion. He argued that it was unnecessary and

the ten-minute rule, which debate shall con-tinue until the demand for the previous question is seconded. During the debate, Mr. Porter, of Virginia, said there were thirty members from the South-ern States, and but three of them had as yet had an opportunity to speak. The gentlement who usually had no difficulty in obtaining the floor had been heard, and now they proposed to cut off debate. They could go on and cut off debate, but they must look to the safety or

Mr. Dawes said that there had been a whole week devoted to debate, with evening sessions whenever anybody desired it, and he thought a very liberal opportunity had been given. If every gentleman who failed to be heard was to throw himself back and say that unless he could be heard they must look to the safety of the bill, it would be curious legislation. If he (Mr. Dawes) took that position he should doubt his own patriotism, and feel that he had cause for self-examination as to the motives which prompted his action. Of course he had not intended to apply his remarks to the gentle-

man from Virginia. Mr. Porter said that his remarks were prompted by no hostility to the bill, but by the general principle that when a wrong was com-mitted it recoiled upon its authors. Mr. Leech (N. C.) protested against cutting off debate until the Representatives of the States to be attacked could be heard in their defense, be attacked could be heard in their defense, but subsequently withdrew his objection.

Mr. Shanks (Ind.) then proceeded to speak in support of the bill, and spent some time in reading official statements to prove that the outroges on the Louisville and Lexington railroad were of a serious nature, and said it was to support of the class that it was

press disorders of just this class that it was sought to pass this bill. Mr. Bingham (Ohio) asked and obtained consent to print a bill upon the pending subject.
Mr. Van Trump (Ohio) charged that the republican party had been guilty of inconsisten-cy in its construction of the Constitution at various times, as it was considered to operate for or against their retention of power. The bill now proposed was the most gigantic attempt to establish the one man power that was ever attempted in any country with a written constitution; entirely at varience with the spirit of

the Constitution and the intention of the founders of the government. Foreign immigration to the United States has now reached the proportions it assumed in 1852 and 1853. The figures are: 1852, 371,603; 1853, 368,645; 1869, 385,287; 1870, 379,786. The highest number of immigrants ever received in any one year was in 1854, when the enormous aggregate of 427,833 was reached. This vast increase began in the end of 1846 and ran to the close of 1854, in which latter year the know-nothing reaction occurred with such violence, that in the very next year the immigration declined to 200,877, a falling off of more than half the aggregate of the preceding year. Nor was this injury recovered from, for the receipts fell steadily until in 1859 when only 121,282 immigrants arrived. The lowest point reached by the immigration was in 1861 and 1862, in each of which years 91,900 immigrants arrived. But in 1863 the receipts were nearly doubled, being 176,282, followed successively in succeeding years by 193,418, then 248,120, then 318,554, and then 298,358, winding up with the figures given above. Among the causes for the increase are the free homestead law, the vast increase of mining and manufacturing industry, and the prodigious extension of our railway system that has opened ness.

STOLEN BOND OPERATORS—Pelletier indicted.
Antonio Pelletier has been indicted by the grand jury of the United States Circuit Court for having in his possession stolen United States bonds—one for \$10,000, which had been stolen from Senor Castillo, and two for \$500 from the lot stolen from the Ocean Bank. The detectives have still another stolen-bond operator. For prudential reasons the details of his operations and arrest are withheld for the present. It is alleged that he has for some time been intimately connected with noted "cracksmen." His family and social connections are highly respectable.—N. Y. Tribune, 1st inst.

THE QUEEN OF SWEDEN whose death at Stockholm on March 30th, has been announced, was the daughter of William Frederick, Prince of the Netherlands and uncle of William III. King of the Netherlands. Louisa, Queen of Sweden, was born at the Hague, on August 5th, 1828, and on June 19th, 1850, was married to Charles, the Prince Royal of Sweden, who, on July 8th, 1859, became King Charles XV. of Sweden. The fruit of this marriage was the Princess Louisa, born October 31st, 1851, and who, on July 28th, 1869, married Frederick, Prince Royal of Denmark.

Methodist church by a calico ball. Black and white costumes are most elegant for Spring.

TELEGRAMS TO THE STAR This Afternoon's Dispatches. Associated Press Reports.

IMPORTANT FROM EUROPE!

Civil War in France!! SEARP FIGHTING OUTSIDE OF PARIS ENGAGEMENT AT COURBEVOIR.

Victory for Versailles-The Paris Reds forced to Setreat—They Lose 200 in Killed and Wounded—Com-munist Prisoners Shot as Rebels—Threntened At-tack on Versatiles— Great Excitement.

Telegraphed Exclusively to The Evening Star. The Paris Mob Routed, with Menyy Loss.

PARIS, Sunday evening, (via London, April)-Fighting has been going on since yesterday evening, at various points in Place de la Concorde. This morning cannonading was distinetly audible, the sound coming from the direction of Neuilly. The fortress of Mont Valerien opened on the columns of nationals which were marching on Courbevoie, and kept up a continuous fire for several hours, to prevent them from establishing themselves in position there. The nationals were finally compelled to retreat, after suffering a considerable loss in killed and wounded.

A special dispatch to the London Times says:
"The fighting at Courbevoie was sharp. Reports are conflicting as to which side fired the first shot. The nationals were at first driven into Courbevoie, where they maintained themselves some time, protected by the houses. They
were at last shelled out by Mont Valerien, and
fell back to the bridge at Neuilly, where they
kept up a hot fusilade. From this position they
were again forced to retreat, and finally withdrew into the city and shut the gates, The
Versailles troops did not attempt to follow.
The estimate, probably exaggerated, puts the
loss of the national guards at 200.

Threatened Attack on Versailles.
London, April 3.—The government troops shot their prisoners as rebels. The popular indignation against the Versailles government is terrific. The nationals threaten to attack Versailles. Special dispatches report that the 74th regiment of the line came to Paris Saturday and treatenized with the nationals. fraternized with the nationals. Queen Victoria Visits Napoleon London, April 3d, 6:30 a. m.—Queen Victoria visits Napoleon at Chiselhurst to-day.

Particulars of the Fight at Courbe. vote PARIS, April 2, evening .- There was a serious engagement this morning between the governnent troops and the communists. About 2,000 national guards marched on Courbevole, and were met by the gen d'armes and gardes fores-tiers. The captain of the latter galloped up waving his cap, intending to address the communists, when a zouave with that body shot him dead. A general action followed, in which the gen d'armes took five prisoners, one 76 years of age, who were shot immediately. The guns of Fort Valerien swept the road, and the communists fied. Twenty-five insurgents were killed and many wounded. The engagement was over at one o'clock. The national guards still hold porte Maellot. Battalions of artillery are hurrying up. The rappel is beating and the ramparts are being manned. The greatest excitement prevails

The Crisis at Hand.

VERSAILLES, April 2, Evening.—The crisis is at hand. Two batteries are in motion on the Paris road, and the ambulances are all ready. Prince Char'es will wait awhile. London, April 3.—A dispatch from Bucharest says Prince Charles has postponed the abdica-tion of the throne of Romania until the result of the the elections for the chambers is known. The Italian Chamber.

The Connecticut Election HARTFORD, (Courant Office,) April 3, 1.30 p m .- It is impossible to give very accurate estimates of the results of the election. The light rain which commenced shortly be

fore noon, and the muddy traveling from the storm of Saturday night, will effect the total vote somewhat. Last night, when a clear day was probable, it was estimated that the total vote would be from 97,000 to 98,000, but it is likely now to fall below these figures.

The State is very close, and both sides are confident. In the total registered vote of over

100,000, it is impossible to state what the result In Waterbury we hear that Kendrick, democrat, for Congress, is running behind his ticket. The democrats concede the election of Strong, republican, in this district. The majority for English in this city will be reduced from 250 to 300 votes.

The Northern Pacific Bailroad from a Canadian Point of View.

OTTAWA, April 3.—Hon. Mr. Tupper, during debate on the subject of the annexation of British Columbia, on Saturday, argued that the superiority of the Canadian route for the Pacific railroad was indisputable, and that the alternate blocks of land, which would be the property of the government, would realize enough to discharge its pecuniary obligations. Respecting the railway, he expressed the belief that the Northern Pacific Company, who would have nearly a thousand miles of desert to run through, would never (seeing Canada was determined to push her road to that ocean) go on with their work beyond Pembina. They would extend their line from Georgetzen. would extend their line from Georgetown to Pembina, and thence to Red river, but it would never, he thought, be carried further west in view of the far superior prospect of our Dominion road.

From New York. Steamer In-Diedfrom an Overdose of Laudanum-The Broadway Widening Bill Constitutional. NEW YORK, April 3.—Arrived, the Cleopatra,

Captain Morgan Dehony, a clerk in the Board of Public Works, died yesterday morning from an overdose of laudanum. The Broadway widening matter has been decided to-day by Judge Cardoza declaring the act of the Legislature of 1871 constitutional, and appointing James L. Hennessy, Jr., a member of the old commission, and William B. Astor and Alexander T. Stewart as new com-

missioners A Catholic Priest shot Five Times by CHICAGO., April 2.—Yesterday, at Ottawa, Illinois, Father Terney, of the Catholic Church, was suddenly contronted by an insane man ramed James Morrisey, who, without warning, commenced firing upon the priest with a revolver, who immediately turned and ran from his mad assailant. Father Terney had run but a few steps when he fell upon his face. Morrisey ran up to him and placing his revolver within a few inches of his person discharged it five times. He then ran away. None of the wounds are fatal.

The Case of Rev. Mr. Cheney. Chicago, April 2.—Rev. Charles Edward Cheney, rector of Christ Church, is to be brought to trial for contumacy in disregarding the sentence of the ecclesiastical court, as pronounced by the bishops, by which he was tried and convicted for non-conformity.

Republican Victory in Kentucky. Cincinnati, April 2.—The Danville and Harredsburg, Kentucky, city elections resulted in favor of the republicans. Secretary Bontwell in Wall Street.

NEW YORK, April 3.—The Secretary of the Treasury had a talk with prominent bankers upon the new loan and other matters to day.

Pennsylvania have opened Alleghany College at Meadville to women as well as men. Nr. Moses Remington, of Gold Hill, Nevada, is a man of his word. He lately told his wife he was going to kill her and he did-The propriety of electing at least one woman upon the board of school commissioners is now under consideration in Indianapolis. For The "cameo," called by some the "Fron-fron" first, are simply the various shades of brown from very light to very dark. They are ill the rage.

The sub-committee of the Methodist Book Concern in New York has adjourned sine die without making any arrangement to proceed with the investigation of the affairs of the York, in Ann, Chatham and Chambers streets, and near the Washington market, were broken up by the police Saturday night, and forty or fifty gamblers arrested.

Government Securities.

The Markets To-Day.

linas, new, 23% bid.

New York. April 3.—Governments dull but firm.

Stocks strong and active. Virginia sixes, 73%, do. new, 73%. North Carolinas, 46%, do. new, 23%.

Money casy, 4. Gold strong, 10%. Exchange, long, 5%; short, 10%.

New York, April 3.—Flour more steady. Wheat shade firmer. Corn york firm.

a shade firmer. Corn very firm.

THE FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, April 3, 1:30 p. m — American securities dull; 5 26's of 52, 52's. Stocks dull—Erie rathroad shares. 19's, Atlantic and Great Western, 41's.

LONDON, April 3, 11:30 a. m.—Consols, 52's, for both American securities quiet and steady. Bonds, 62, 92's; 65, eld, 92's, '67, 91's, 10-40's, 89. Erie, 19's.

Illine is, 110's, Great Western, 43.

FRANKFORT, April 3—Bonds closed at 96's 290's.

LIVERPOOL April 3—11:30 a. m.—Cotton quiet.

Uplands, 7's a''s. Orleans, 7's a''s. Sales estimated at 12,000 bales. Breadstuffs firm.

the late John Van Alan, known more widely as John Allen, the wickedest man in New York. He stated that John Allen left thirty thousand dollars' worth of real estate, which his father had taken possession of as heir. He also left two children, now kept in Fulton county, one about sixteen, the son of a woman with whom Allen had lived. The other a son of a woman with whom he lived, and whom, before the birth of the boy, he acknowledged as his wife. This boy, now some eight or nine years old, was legitimate, and had some rights which should be protected. He a ked that Samuel Chandler, who had been an old frind of Van Alan, and with him in his last sickness, and yet was a very respectable man, should be appointed guardian. The Court made the order .- N. F. Post, 31st. How to Extinguish FIRES OF KEROSENE .-

ever. Remember that smothering is the only successful way of stopping the fire. Walking classes are the latest agony. Memphis belies lead pet goats by blue

13' A drunken man can rarely walk in a straight line. He's more used to a rye-tangle. By The Susanville Sage Brush is a high toned California paper. 17 It is said that frozen potatoes can be cured

makes by biting off their heads. Balls are styed "dances" in London socie-The Augusta Journal speaks of raising pigs as " begriculture."

Memphis editors characterize murders as tragic" sequels of slight misunderstandings. Wagner is said to be very poor-in fact a

poor composer. Breeches, or pantaloons, were first work n Europe in 1652.

WA writer in the Golden Age says that Miss Kellogg sings " Sweet Home" as if she lived in

67 A Mrs. Davis, of Tennessee, aged 70, is cutting a third set of real teeth, and has couse uently cut her false ones.

The heirs of Mme. Delibizarre, a Creole adv of New Orleans, are laying claim to that portion of the city not awarded to Mrs. Gaines.

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to be very unfavorable. The principal changes are a lose of \$1,641,315 in specie, and a lose of \$1,822,865 in legal tenders, making the aggregate loss of legal reserve \$3,564,180. The deposits have run down \$3,835,207, so that the surplus above the legal reserve is impaired only \$2,650,000. The last mentioned item has in

FIRANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

As generally anticipated the New York bank

statement for the week ending April 1, proves

consequence fallen to about \$7,800,000.

Block Report.

[By Bankers', Brokers' and Commercial Telegraph]
Lewis Johnson & Co. quote stocks and bonds in
home and foreign markets, as follows:
Nkw York, April 3 — U. 8.6 a. 881, coupon, 116's, 5-20's, 62, coupon, 112's, 5-20's, 64, coupon, 112's, 5-20's, 64, coupon, 111's, 5-20's, 65, coupon, 111's, 5-20's, 66, coupon, 111's, 5-20's, 67, coupon, 111's, 5-20's, 68, coupon, 111's, 5-20's, 69, coupon, 111's, 6-20's, 60, preferred, 6-20's, 60's, 60's,

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Baltimore, April 3.—Cetton dull; low middling nominally 13%. Flour dull, Wheat market quiet, receipts and prices entirely unchanged. Corn firmer; white southern, StaS6, yellow southern, St. mixed western, 80. Oats better, Cho3. Pork quiet, \$2150. Bacon steady, shoulders, 9, rile sides, 11; clear rib, 11%; hams, 17a18. Lard quiet, 13. Whishy is held at 92.

Baltimore, April 3.—Virginia sixes, old, 57% bid, 58 asked, do. 1867, 69 asked; de coupon, old, 75 asked. North Carolinas, new, 23% bid.

New York, April 3.—Governments dull but firm

THE ESTATE OF THE WICKEDEST MAN .- Mr. Brewster to-day applied to the Court for the appointment of a guardian for two children of

Instead, use blankets, or woolen cloths, quitts, shawls, or whatever may be at hand that can be used to smother the flames. Don't use water, the oil floats upon it and burns as rapidly as

In cases of kerosene fires, don't try to extinquish

the flame with water; that will spread the fire.

FLORENCE, April 3.-The Italian Chamber has adjourned until the 12th instant. by soaking in water three days before cooking. Mr. Johnson, a Michigander, extirpates

> The fashionable game of Louisville belles is poker dice.

> *FIt is the fashion now, among Italian gray-hounds, and other pet dogs, to wear silk neck-

The first book is supposed to have been written about Job's times. No wonder his af-

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